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STATUS INQUIRY

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Sir:

It has been more than six months since the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences issued its Decision on Appeal reversing the Examiner's rejection. Applicant respectfully requests that the undersigned attorney be informed of the status of the referenced application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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